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THE CITY OF PORTSMOUTH—NEWS AND ADVERTISEMENTS.

INFORMATION

Erief Mention of the News, Both General and Personal.

CFMATTERS OF INTEREST

Concisely Written That Much May

The First Regiment, Uniform Rank Knights of Pythians of Virginia, will be installed shortly under the direction of Major W. C. Corbett. The companies composing the regiment are Atlantis No. 1, Portsmouth No. 15, of Portsmouth, and Virginia No. 2, of Norfolk. The First Regiment, Uniform Rank

The remains of the late B. F. Mark-ham will arrive here this afternoon or to-morrow from Portsmouth, N. H., accompanied by his son, Mr. Len A., who went on after them.
Attention is called to the advertisement of J. P. Carr in this issue.

One of the two-inch guns captured during the Spanish-American war from the cruiser Maria Teresa will be shipped in a few days to Des Moines, Ia., where it will be placed in the park on exhibition

An attempt was made Friday night to rob Mr. Virginius Weston's stall in

to rob Mr. Virginius Weston's stall in the market, but the parties failed. Mr. Branch's stall, next to Mr. Weston's, was robbed a few nights ago.

There will be an oyster supper at the residence of Mrs. Hugh Smith, on Holladay street, near Hatton, Tuesday evening, February 13th, for the benefit of Park View M. E. Church. Cream and cake will be served.

The funeral of Mrs. Alice P. West, wife of Captain John T. West, took place yesterday afternoon from Good Hope Church, in Norfolk county, near Cornland.

Cornland.

Mr. Edward Militaire will preach at noon hour in the navy-yard to-day to the men who have to work.

Mr. John Morris offers all odd suits and overcoats. They have been marked down to half price. He says you can buy one of the greatest bargains of your life. See advertisement.

Two stores and a small cottage in Scottsville is offered for rent. See advertisement.

The rain yesterday afternoon greatly iterfered with business. It kept the

ladies indoors.

Attention is called to the Brandt Company, in which they tell you that they will not carry any clothing over. It must be sold. The shoe department

will sell at extremely low prices.
Attention is called to the advertisement of Anderson & Thompson in this issue, in which they tell you that they have the finest line of valentines ever

displayed in this city.

Miss Carrie Durford is slowly recovering from her filness.

Those looking for bargains will do

well by reading Emmett Deans' adver-tisement. Special offers are made for

Attention is called to the advertise-ment of J. H. S., in which a good house

can be secured.

There will be services at the Chest-nut Street Mission Chapel this after-There was no docket in the Mayor's

There was no docket in the Mayor's Court yesterday.

Henry Jones and Caleb Batten were given thirty days in the county jail yesterday for stealing a pump.

The Pythlans are looking forward with interest to the meeting of the Grand Lodge on the 27th instant.

The Norfolk County Court convenes on the 19th. There are a number of cases to come up.

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Mr. John C. Niemeyer will to-morrow sell at the residence of Mr. B. F.

Howell, on Washington street, a quantity of household and kitchen furniture.
The promised cold wave did not

A horse attached to a wagon ran away yesterday and smashed up things generally.

The Board of Supervisors will hold

their regular monthly meeting Tucsday at 1 p. m.

The workmen in the yard did not

The workmen in the yard did not work last night, but will work all day to-day and to-night.

Yesterday morning an elderly lady was knocked down by several dogs that were running around the streets and was bruised considerably.

A small boy was accidentally shot through the hand yesterday while fooling with a pistol. He was attended by Dr. Claud.

There was a splendid market yester-

by Dr. Claud.

There was a splendid market yesterday. It was supplied with everything that housekeepers need.

A well-established grocery business is offered for sale. See advertisement and address as directed.

A concert will be given at the residence of Mr. Wm. G. W. Parker, No. 300 Court street, Thursday, February 15, 1900, at 8:20 p. m., for the benefit of the altar fund of St. Paul's Catholic Church, in which the best talent of the two cities will participate. Refreshments will be served by young ladies in colonial costumes.

The members of Chambers Fire Company are requested to meet Monday

The members of Chambers Fire Company are requested to meet Monday next at 7:30 o'clock, as business of importance will be transacted.

Rev. W. T. Waterfield will hold memorial service this afternoon at 2:30 o'clock over Mr. Gray's children.

Mr. C. H. White returned yesterday from Baltimore, where he had been to have an operation performed on his nose.

nase.

Mrs. Lilly Truett, of Washington, D.
C., is visiting the family of Mr. G. E.

M. C. A., Portsmouth, and Louis C.
Phillips, of Portsmouth, will give interesting talks at 7:30 p. m.

Mr. John C. Sands announces in this issue that he is a candidate for the Keeper of Cemetery.

Rev. Dr. Fisher will occupy his pulpift in the morning to-day, and the Y.

M. C. A. will conduct services at night.

A registered pharmacist can secure employment by addressing "H. R.," this office.

Any one having lost two helfers can get the same by calling on Carroll Cooke, South street extended.

RELIGIOUS SERVICES. Where and By Whom They Will Be

Where and By Whom They Will Be Conducted.

South Street Baptist Church, Rev. J. W. Mitchell, pastor—Services to-day as follows: Sunday school at 9:30 a. m., L. W. Green superintendent. Preaching at 11 a. m. by the pastor. At 7:30 p. m. the Y. M. C. A. will conduct the service. R. C. Barlow, Esq., will preside. Mr. L. A. Coulter, of Richmond, State secretary, will speak. Mr. Coulter is a speaker of great force. All are invited to hear him. Music by the choir.

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Port Norfolk M. E. Church, Rev. J. Franklin Carey, pastor—Mrs. Howard Hoge, State president of W. C. T. U., will deliver an address at 11 a. m. Preaching by pastor at 7:30 p. m.

Rev. J. Watkins Lacy will preach at Tait Memorial Church, Pinner's Point, this afternoon at 4 o'clock. A cordial welcome to the public.

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Monumental M. E. Church, Rev. E.

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Monumental M. E. Church, Rev. E.

H. Rawlings, pastor—Preaching at 11
a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Subject at the
morning service, "Revival. At the
night service Y. M. C. A. anniversary.
Address by Rev. J. T. Mastin, of Chestnut Street Church, Berkley.
Central M. E. Church, South, Rev. R.
F. Beadles, pastor—Sunday school at
9:15 a. m. Services at 11 a. m. conducted by L. A. Coulter, State secretary Y. M. C. A. Preaching at 7:30
p. m. by Rev. R. T. Waterfield.
Central Mission and Brighton, Rev. D.
B. Austin, pastor—Sunday school at
Brighton at 9:15 a. m. and preaching
at 11 a. m. by the pastor. Sunday
school at Central Mission at 3 p. m.
and preaching at 7:30 p. m. by the pastor.
Calvary Baptist Church, Rev. Samuel

tor.

Calvary Baptist Church, Rev. Samuel Saunders, pastor—Services to-day will be as follows: At 9:30 a. m., Sunday school, E. P. Rodman superintendent; at 11 a. m. funeral services in memory of the late Mr. Frank Williams; at 3:30 p. m., the Sunbeam Society will hold its regular meeting. Interesting music and an address may be expected. At 7:30 p. m., the thirteenth anniversary exercises of the Y. M. C. A. will be held. Mr. Joseph H. Saunders will preside and the pastor will make the address.

Wright Memorial M. E. Church, Rev.

All Saints' Church (Park Vlew), Rev. A. C. Thomson, rector—Service and address Sunday at 4:30 p. m. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Chestnut Street Mission—There will be preaching at the Chestnut Street Mission Chapel this afternoon at 3:30 o'clock. Sunday, Monday and Tuesday nights at 7:30 o'clock. Sunday, Monday nights at 7:30 o'clock Rev. Dr. A. Coke Smith will added to the evening service. Sunday nights at 7:30

SPECIAL MUSIC.

Special music at Court Street Baptist Church Sunday evening at 7:30 o'clock:

Church Sunday evening at 7:30 o clock:
Anthem—"Sing Allelulia Forth" ...
Dudley Buck
Duet—"Hark! Hark! My Soul" ...
Harry Rowe Shelley
Mrs. Wm. H. Dashiell and Miss Martin.
Anthem—"How Beautiful Upon the
Mountain" J. R. Sweeney

GRAND ENTERTAINMENT.

There will be a very elaborate enter-tainment given at the residence of Mrs. Lewis Morris next Thursday night at 8 o'clock for the benefit of the Park View Baptist Church. The entertain-ment is full of mirth, merriment and fun, and the costumes bright and ef-fective.

Nervous Hoadache Cured Speedily. No danger by Hick's Capudine. 15 and 25c, at drug stores.

Chas. R. Welton & Co. have removed to 208 High street, Noah's Ark's old stand,

Beaty.

Rev. C. W. Pettit, of Norfolk, will reach at Park View M. E. Church at moved to 611 Crawford street, near 11 o'clock, and Mr. Stubbs, of the Y. King.

CONGRESSMAN

House of Representatives Committee on Public Buildings.

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steamer brought down from the Capital City Congressmen D. W. Mercer, chair-

City Congressmen D. W. Mercer, chairman of the Committee on Public Buildings; George W. Gillett, chairman of the Sub-Committee; J. B. Showalter, James Morton, Alfred Runner, E. J. Burkett, M. Richardson and B. F. Howell and William Wheeler.

Congressman Young and Postmaster Burroughs accompanied them from Washington. They were met at the wharf by the committee published in yesterday's issue, Mayor Baird and a representative of the Public Ledger and the Virginian-Pilot.

They were hurried off and took carriages, a resident of the city being in each carriage to point out places of interest and answer all questions that might be asked, and nothing was left undone to show the distinguished gentlemen an old-fashion Virginian welcame.

After the carriages had been filled the party was driven down North street to Middle, to High and to the postoffice. The gentlemen stood on the outside, gazed at the building and its surroundings, and their impression of the Government vestories. ings, and their impression of the Government postoffice was not favorable. They were taken inside, shown the cramped condition of the office, and the accommodations that the postmaster had, and one and all expressed themselves as being of the opinion that a public building was a necessity here, and that the Government should not besitate to appreciate water that hesitate to appropriate money for that

hesitate to appropriate money for that purpose.

After leaving the office they were driven to the Naval Hospital. Here they stopped for a few moments, and the gentlemen expressed admiration at the beauty of the harbor and its surroundings, and prophesied that this would some day become a city of great importance.

They then passed through Park View and thence to the cotton factory. Prentis Place was also visited, and the gentlemen were shown how large a terri-

Wright Memorial M. E. Church, Rev. Geo. E. Booker, pastor—Sunday school at 9:15 a. m. Preaching at 11 a. m. by the pastor. Subject. "What We Owe God." At night Rev. R. F. Beadles will conduct the scrvice.

Trinity Episcopal Church (corner High and Court streets), Rev. Arthur C. Thomson, rector—Sunday services at 11 a. m. and 3 p. m. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. At the evening service the rector will make an address appropriate to the Y. M. C. A. anniversary, and the president's report of that organization will be read by Judge Legh R. Watts. Seats free at all services.

All Saints' Church (Park View), Rev. A. C. Thomson, rector—Service and address Sunday at 4:30 p. m. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m.

Chestnut Street Mission—There will be preaching at the Chestnut Street a photographer took a picture of the com-

12 o'clock, where the balance of the day was to be spent.

After thanking the officers for cour-tesies extended, the party took carri-ages and were driven to the Ocean View

dcpot.
The Virginia-Pilot's representative was unable to go further with the par-

ty,
The program, upon reaching Ocean
Ylew, was to have an oyster roast at 3
p. m. Dinner was served at the Isaac
Walton Club-house, and then mirth and
sociability prevailed. Speeches were
made by quite a number, and the best
of feeling prevailed. North, South, East
and West was represented and mingled
together as common brothers of one
country.

together as common brothers of one country.

At 5 p. m. the party left the View and went to Old Point, where the distinguished gentlemen took the steamer for Washington, much pleased with their trip.

The committee from the city returned home, feeling that their efforts had not been in vain. The Virginian-Pilot's representative believes, from opinions expressed by the gentlemen, most of whom were Western men, that they are in carnest. They said that they saw the spirit of enterprise that was in the community, and that the people were awake to their interest, and were helping themselves, and that the Government should lend a helping hand.

It is the belief of the gentlemen who were instrumental in getting the committee to come here that the trip will result in more good than securing a public building. The interest manifested by the gentlemen in the work here was more than could have been expected. They stopped, looked at the place where the Raleigh and Texas were built, and said that no ships that ever floated in American waters had a better record than those two vessels, and well might our people feel proud of them.

MISSIONARY MEETING.

The Missionary Society of Wright Memorial Church will hold its meeting this afternoon at 3 o'clock. The address of the occasion will be delivered by Rev. George W. Jones, pastor of Trinity Church, Norfolk, who is regarded as a very attractive and elocated the statement of the

quent speaker. A solo will be rendered by Miss Fan-nie McLean, with Mrs. Eldredge as ac-

companist.

Several recitations and other interesting features will be added to the program, and the exercises will be of a highly entertaining character.

This occasion promises to be one of unusual interest, and will doubtless attract a large attendance. ract a large attendance.

NAVAL ORDERS.

The following naval orders have been

Passed Assistant Surgeon G. H. Bar-ber is detached from the Naval Acad-emy and ordered to hold himself in

readiness for sea service.

Capt. E. T. Strong is detached from the Washington navy yard and ordered to the Asiatic station. Subject to Democratic Primary.

These changes have taken place on the Asiatic station: Lieutenant R Werlich, from the Monadnock to the Isle de Luzon. Capt. T. F. Jewell is detached from the Brooklyn and ordered home to

await orders.
Lieutenant-Commander R. H. Galt is detached from the Isle de Luzon and ordered to the Yokohama Hospital.

TRANSFERS.

A well established grocery business with good trade. A fine location; business made 25 per cent, last year; parties leav-ing city to engage in other business. A

The following transfer was recorded in the office of the clerk of the Hustings Court yesterday:
Robert Armistead Stewart to C. O. Grimes, lot adjoining the Mary Woodbridge line, extending through from south side of High street to King street, having a frontage of 22 feet; \$1,-300.

300.

In the county clerk's office this trans

for was recorded:
Atlantic Trust and Security Company
to J. Pearson Williams, R. C. Byrd and
W. B. Baldwin, four lots on Church
street, Huntersville; \$4,500.

I will sell at public auction at 10:30 a. m. MONDAY, February 12th, 1900, at the residence of Mr. B. F. Howell, No. 412 Washington street, all of the household and kitchen Furniture therein contained, consisting of Parlor and Chamber Suits, Moquette Carpets, Lace Curtains, Stoves, Dinner Sets, Oil Cloths, Mattings, &c., &c. PARK VIEW ROSEBUDS. The regular monthly meeting of the Park View Rosebud Society will be held this afternoon at 3:30 o'clock. The fol-

lowing program will be rendered: Recitation—Little Mary Tomkins, Solo—Miss Pearl Roane. Motion Prayer—Misses Deans and

Quartette-Misses Hudgins, Dodson, Allen and Morris.
Recitation—Little Emma Wyatt.
Selection—Choir.
Recitation—Miss Calena Newell.

NAVY-YARD NOTES.

Rear Admiral George W. Melville, Chief of the Bureau of Steam Engineering, was at the yard yesterday on a tour of inspection.

Orders were received at this yard yes-terday to go ahead with all authorized work in the construction department, the deficiency bill having passed. This means considerable to this yard, as there are a number of vessels here on which a number of repairs are to be made. This will mean the continuance of the present force and perhaps an in-

THE GRIPPS. This can be avoided by taking tenspoonful doses of PAIN KILLER in hot water sweetened, as well as by external application, full direction on each bottle. A bottle of the Pain Killer kept in the house will prove valuable not only for the Gripps, but for ordinary coughs and colds, Avoid substitutes there is but one Pain-Killer, Perry Davis Price Zec. and Zec.

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W. & J. PARKER'S name is on your EUREKA FLOUR bag. Next BAG CONTEST JULY 7th.

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